The restructuring plan offered by AARL is well thought out. There is no perfect plan, but one that allows participation and growth is good for amateur radio. When I passed the technician class license in the 70's, the written test was the same as the general class license. All that was necessary to upgrade to the general class was passing the faster code requirement. It seems reasonable that individuals passing the technician code and testing requirements be upgraded to the general class license since they have already completed the current requirements.